forty-one (341), one hundred and forty-two (142), one hundred and forty-from (144), one hundred and forty-from (144), one hundred and forty-from (144), one hundred and forty-from (145) and one hundred and forty-from (145) and forty-from (14

RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., AUCTIONEERS, upon the property soid and to bear interest at the rate of 6 for cent. Takes will be paid to day of sale. All title examination and conveyancing will be at the sole cost of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100 will be required on each bouse at the time of sale. Terms of sale to be compiled with within ten days, otherwise, at the ortion of the owners, the protectly will bershold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchasers. RATCLIFFE, DARK & CO., Auctioneers. THOMAS M. FIELDS, Attorney for Owners. applied of the control of th

TRUSTEES SALE OF DESIRABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY ON O STREET BETWEEN 4TH AND 5TH STREETS NORTHWEST BEING KNOWN AS HOUSE NO. 438, BY AUCTION. mh30-d&ds THOMAS DOWLING & SON RAOWN AS HOUSE NO. 438, BY AUCTION.
By virtue of a deed of trust given to us and duly
recorded in Liber 1581, folio 348 et seq., one of the
land records of the District of Columbia, and by request of the party secured thereby, we will sell, by
jubile avection, in front of the premises, on FRDAY,
APRIL SEVENTE, 1883, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P. M.,
the foliowing described real estate, situate in said dire

the function and eightly-live (18.3) leet to the pince of beginning, together with the improvements, consisting of a two-story frame house, No. 438 O street northwest.

Terms: One-third of the purchase mone? to be paid in cash, the balance in one and two years from the day of sale, for which the notes of the purchaser will be taken, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per autum from the day of sale, payable semi-semualty, and secured by deed of trust on the premises soid, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 to be paid at the time of sale. Terms to be complied within fifteen days, or the trustees reserve the right to resell at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. All conveyancing, recording, &c., at purchaser's cost.

HENRY FRANC.

DUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND IN ALEX

By virtue of a decree entered at the November term, 1882, of the circuit court of Alexandria county, Virginia, in the chancery cause of Castleman vs. Welch et al., therein pending, the undersisted commissioners for that purpose appointed will, on APRIL SIXTH, 1883, at FIVE P. M., on the premises, offer for sale all of that historic estate formerly owned by Caleb Cushing and containing 100 acres, more or less, and located in Alexandria county, Virsinia.

This tract of land is improved by a large ten-room dwelling house with basement, large barn with base-

THEY GOT STUCK FAST.

at the Note Known whether Tree Got as the Good one of Jackson Communication of Jackson Communicatio

All the preparations for the exhibition to be given tonight by the Princeton gymnaste team at the Columbia Athletic Club have been completed and everything points toward a brilliant success. There has been a good sale of tickets and a large crowled and the state upon an indet drinking with the same team at the Columbia Athletic Club in the latter state upon an indet firm the sacre than the one set as a good sale of tickets and a large crowled and everything points toward a brilliant success. There has been a good sale of tickets and a large crowled and the same team of the admirrer of the orange and black as well as those with like the same team of the same tea

Baker, J. H. Crumbaugh, David Elzsner, R. A. those participating were N. B. Fugitt, accom- PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK P.M., and will continue Fennell, W. T. Fowler, P. G. Harrison, Richard panying Misses Gertrude Gardner, white mull daily at same hours until the entire stock is dis-Clement, Clement Herbert, C. A. La Coste, and corn-colored ribbon, and Heien MacAllissilk and diamonds; Miss Pauline Beldwin, crim-The alleged objection of the anti-semitic so-legistics of Vienna to the approximant of Way Henrietta: Willie Barton, gray silk; Mass Ste-Legistics of Vienna to the approximant of Way Judd as consul general at Vienna on the ground that he is a Jew is regarded at the State Department as somewhat inconsistent in view of the fact that no objection was ever raised to Mr. Goldschmudt, the present consul general, who is also a Jew. He has held the office for four years.

Against the State of Virginia.
In 1889 Attorney General Ayres of the state of Virginia field a bill with the United States Supreme Court, alleging that the state of Tennessee was exercising unlawful jurisdiction over a strip of territory from two to eight miles wide from the North Carolina line a due west course, in latitude 36 degrees 30 minutes north to the Kentucky line.

Henrietta; Willie Barton, gray silk: Miss Stephens, whis silk: Miss Raise Russell.

White silk: Miss Gaines, blue Henrietta; Willie Barton, gray silk: Miss Russell.

White silk: Miss Helen Watkins, levender and white silk is Miss Nannie McPherson, flowered Chinase and the state of Virginia field a bill with the United States Supreme Court, alleging that the state of Tennessee was exercising unlawful jurisdiction over a strip of territory from two to eight miles wide from the North Carolina line a due west course, in latitude 36 degrees 30 minutes north to the Kentucky line.

In an elaborate opinion by Justice Field the States of the State of the States of the State of the Stat black velvet, all of county; Mrs. D. H. Warfield, heliotrope silk; Mrs. Arthur Kemp, blue silk and tulle; Mrs. Dr. Warfield, blue and white silk; Mrs. Reich, black and lavender silk; Mrs. Reich, black and lavender silk; Mrs. Samuel Eastburn, red Henrietta; Frances Kelchner, white silk; Edie Waring, black silk and lace; Estelle Talbott, white silk; Emma Hogan, cream and pink silk; Clara Griffith, red Henrietta; Nannie Prettyman, old rose silk; Lillie Prettyman, blue cashmere; Mrs. A. J. Almoney, black silk and jet; Miss Rose Henderson, white silk; Maggie Henderson, Shoemaker, Charles James, Stanley Brown, Evans Fugitt of Washington, T. A. and Shel-don Day, Takoma Park; J. M. West, Arthur Sellman, Baltimore; Kenneth Willard, Clarkes-ville, Md.: John H. Nicholls, Edward Beall, Gaithersburg: F. W. Page, H. M. Keys, Forest Glen; W. W. Mobley, Thos. Griffiths, Laytons-ville: John Jones, Potomac; K. F. Grant, Middleburg, Va.; J. T. Beckham, jr., John D. Brookes, Alexandria, Va.; Burwell Nelson, Harry and Garner Bouic, Otho and Worthington Talbott, Leonard and Brauner Nicholson R. B. and Arthur Peter, Jetson and Will Trail

bott, F. E. Thomas. During the evening the gallery was crowded with spectators. S.A.M.

sickness.

The following vestrymen of St. Matthew's parish were re-elected last evening at the old Episcopal Church in Bladensburg: B. O. Lowndes, Dr. Chas. A. Wells, Dr. O. H. Brightwell, Dr. J. R. Owens, J. B. Burnside, Dr. Julian Dean, Clarence Wilson and Dr. J. L.

A large and interesting meeting of the Damo-cratic Club of the "Neck" was held at Eureka Grange Hall, near Stott's station, last Satur-day night.

AN OUTING SUIT. The funeral of the late Dennis Reagan took But it is Not Known Whether They Got an To Be Worn on the Gondolas of Jackson

R. B. and Arthur Peter, Jetson and Will Trail, Clay, Wallace and Albert Fields, D. H. Warfield, Dr. R. E. Warfield, Thos. Keys, E. B. Robey, J. L. Johns, Wm. F. Griffith, R. and R. Jones, Harry Dauson, Harry Frost, Alby Henderson, Samuel Jones, W. W. Russell, Chas. Maddox, Geo. Hunter, Carey Kingdom, R. Watkins, jr., C. M. Dickerson, Jas. P. B. Veirs, A. J. Almoney, Harry Roome, Evans Fugitt, John L. Dauson, Harry Hurley, Thos. and Bouic Vinson, Wm. Henry, Dr. Otho Linthicum, Chas. Duvall, L. L. Nicholson, H. W. Talbott, F. E. Thomas. During the evening the

---proved. The condition of Representative Hooker of Mississippi, who was severely injured by being

Judge S. Wilderman of the circuit court of the third judicial district of Illinois rendered a decision Friday declaring unconstitutional the special act of 1887, which permits pool selling within the inclosed grounds of race tracks and

San Francisco at the National Hotel. Henry George, Tom L. Johnson, Jerry Simpson and The Best Tonie

brated by the rector, Rev. T. B. Hughes. The came to grief Saturday. For years this elevachurch was crowded to its utmost capacity, and tor has carried up and down more loads of the rare floral offerings gave testimony of the famous legal talent, perhaps, than any other ferryman had been arrested on the Virginia esteem in which the deceased was held. Father elevator in the country; also a few poli-Hughes spoke feelingly of the genial and kindly character of the dead man.

The funeral was the largest seen in Anacostia

Texans in the party it might have

and appear, but it was certainly between the years 1734 and 1748; it was doubtless constructed of logs, the most available buildings of those primitive days, and was succeeded later by two large buildings of Georgetown is marked "the ware-house iot" and the ware-house iot and the ware-house iot" and the ware-house iot and the ware-house in the ware-house iot and the ware-house iot and the ware-house in the ware-house iot and the ware-house iot and the ware-house in the ware-house iot and the ware-house iot and the ware-house in the ware-house iot and the ware-house iot and the ware-house in th be given tonight by the Princeton gym- a fugitive from justice rendered under purposes,

THEY GOT STUCK FAST.

WHEN TOBACCO WAS KING

Georgetown Was the Center of a Thriving

Business.

In the days of the first settlements on this

part of the river, writes Mr. Hugh T. Taggart,

bacco was the most profitable, and hence be-

came the principal article of produce of the

colonists. Owing to the scarcity of money

tobacco usurped its functions as the standard

of value and became the great medium of ex-

imposed by the colonial laws were pavable in

he courts against recalcitrant debtors were in

district records show that as late as the year

S01 a defendant convicted in the courts of

other persons convicted of the same offense—the

enced to "pay four-fold, to wit, 600 pounds of

On account of its importance the regulations

in regard to its export were very strict and re-

quired that previous thereto it should be

These warehouses were called "inspection

Either on account of the convenience of that

HOW IT WAS TRANSPORTED.

"rolling" the tobacco (that is, putting it in

with an axle and tongue and drawn by horses or men) over the roads to the nearest ware-

there was in Frederick county but one place for the inspection of tobacco, and that "at the

house lot" and is now occupied by the buildings

Company. It is probable that Ninian Beail

make a settlement at or near the site of George-

He was evidently a man of note in the

Nimian ficall for "his services upon all incur-

age of one hundred and seven years.

George Gordon became the owner in 1734 of

thereafter known as "George Gordon's Rock

In the year 1751 numerous families, princi-

pally Scotch, were settled in this vicinity, and

lature in that year setting forth that there was

a convenient place for a town in Frederick county, "on the Potennac river above the mouth

of Ruck creek, adjacent to the inspection House," an act was passed appointing commis-

sioners and anthorizing them to purchase sixty

lots for a town, to be called Georgetown.

The "Inspection House" referred to was on

the land of George Gordon and part of the tract

also parts of two tracts owned by Col. George

which had been patented to him June 13, 1704, and the latter of which he had inherited under

be "Inspection House or "Holling House,"

rapidly and ultimately assumed such propor-

tions that three large warehouses were required to accommodate it. We have the nu-

thorfty of Gen. Washington for the statement that in the year 1791 it ranked as the greatest

tobacco market in the state, if not in the

colonial days, but the following copy of a bili

and that of her commander, and the quaint character of its phraseology gives it an interest

as a type of the kind then in vogue.
"Shipped by the grace of God, in good order

and well conditioned, by William Lee, in and upon the good ship called the Friendship, whereof is master under God for the present

royage William Roman, and now riding at an-

thor in the river Thames and by God's grace

one box of merchandise, being marked and

livered in like good order and well conditioned

the sen only excepted) unto Mrs. Anna Washington at Pope's creek, Potomak river, or to her assigns—freight for the said goods being

three bills being accomplished, the other two to stand void. And so God send the good ship

There was another form of bill of lading in

use of a less religious character upon its face, and from which the frequent mention of the

name of the Deity was omitted. A George-

town business man who had both on hand rather

irreverently advertised the fact that he had for sale bills of lading "with or without the grace

THE PIONEER MERCHANT.

Although not the very first men to engage in

merchandising in Georgetown, Robert Peter

was among the first to so engage, and may well

business man, for the business places that ex-

isted at the time of his arrival were insignifi-

establishment in that section and was well known to the leading English and Scotch merchants of

the day. He was the agent of the famous firm of John Glassford & Co., of North Britain,

which monopolized in large part the Potomac

and about 250 feet west of what is now called Eigh street (then known as Water street), and

erected upon it a store house. Mr. Peter be-

ers, to whom the management of the affairs of

the town had been committed by the act of as-sembly of 1751, succeeding Jacob Clagett, and

was the first mayor of the city upon its incor-poration in the year 1789.

THE TORY CHARGE DISAPPROVED.

He had a very prosperous career, and in-

gomery (which was created in 1776 out of a part

Scharf, the Maryland historian, says that Robert Peter, like most of the tobacco mer-

chants of Georgetown and Biadensburg, was a tory during the revolutionary war. The follow-

one to the first state of the s

Intionary convention at Annapolis, disproves this statement, and illustrates Georgetown's first embarrassment in the matter of communi-

cation with her neighbors in Virginia:
"We presume to address you as a member

of our convention in a matter which we think

to her desired port of safety—Amen.
"Dated at London, December 24, 1773.

maves' Disappointment," owned by him, an I

namely, "Conjurors' Disappointment" "Rock of Dumbarton," the former of

seres of mad and to lay them off into eighty

Creek plantation.

and George Gordon were the first per-

of the Washington and Georgetown Ratiroad Brookland.

ise. This gave rise to the terms "rolling

bacco," to the owner, Robert Peter

same commodity instead of money. An

of which they complained; that Col. George Mason's ferry was established under the Vir-ginia law: that Georgetown also had a ferry.

but that Col. Mason's tenants threatened a suit

for presuming to land in Virginia, "so that we

are to reap no advantage from our situation

state of Virginia." The letter then further

jail after having been inveigled into ferrying the sheriff over and landing

writers thought was concocted "with a design

the river at all." They submit the matter of

tion, and add, "yet when dispatch at ferries is

well as for private travelers, we hope for immediate relief as to our ferryman, so far as it may

THE FERRY RATES.

Thomas Johnson, to whom the letter was ad-

dressed, was not a member of the convention,

convention was called. It was a body of al-

most equal importance and had charge of af-

fairs while the convention was not in session.

House, the ferryman, were summoned to at-

taken in regard to the matter does not appear, but the state of Maryland after its formation

various county courts to issue licenses and pre-

Mr. P. H. Johnston has gone on a trip to

Miss Kitty Biret had a narrow escape from

caught her and threw her to the ground and

with the assistance of her neighbors tore the

Maj. C. S. Montague was in Brookland lately

the National Museum at the world's fair.

The ordinance of baptism was observed in

Fisher, Mr. C. H. Warren and Mr. C. B. Perry,

rendered the musical selections very effect-

The Misses Pertha and Bessie Williamson

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sweeney of Congress

Heights have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George

sharpshooters was a single loader-what was

had one of the guns in my office for years after

the Henry magazine gun, subsequently im-proved by Winchester, and since known al-over the world as the Winchester. It was

patented by Smith & Wesson in 1854 and the spring hook extractor by Henry in 1860.

with Secretary Stanton to secure an order for 1,200 of those guns, the ordnance department

the subject of breech-loading guns and also with the president of the Sharps company. One

join Butler's army, when, as Gen. Grant said,

the rebels had him, as it were, "scaled up in a

guns Col. Curtis mentioned one instance where, after charging a much larger force, dispersing

them and capturing many, one of the captured lieutenants, after being brought into camp,

wanted to know what kind of guns those were

saying they seemed "to load all night and fire all

your readers some very curious facts in tofer-ence to the adoption of breech loaders and mag-azine guns, in advocacy of which at that time I

published a pamphlet entitled "Breech Loaders

years before we could induce them to change their position.

It is equally strange that while nearly every

military gun adopted by European armies is of American origin and but slightly changed our

government has been years behind in their

adoption. It was so with breech loaders and it is so with magazine or repeating gans—every

nation in Europe having adopted magazine guns, while we are just considering the matter. In all such matters the navy has always been more progressive than the army.

April 3, 1893.

W. C. Dodge.

The Ordway Rifles' Fair.

Last evening at Haines' Hall, Pennsylvania

avenue and 8th street southeast, Gen. Albert

way Rifles. Pretty girls, elaborate decorations

lowed. The fair is held to replenish the com-pany's fund and will continue during the week.

A Social Club Suspends.

til the courts determine whether the members have a right to maintain and en-

joy the privileges of a club as they would their

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The Ventilation of Street Cars.

To the Editor of The Evening Star: While the question of "transfers" is being

lack of ventilation in all of the cars. I prefer

especially now that the city is in the throes of

grip, to say nothing of other diseases, such as children are liable to at this season.

The Case Dismissed.

with an assault on Allen Thomas, who appeared with his head bandaged. Messrs. Joseph Shil-

lington and W. C. Chase appeared for the de-

fendant. Thomas testified that some words

passed between them in a barber shop on 7th street near R street on the 20th ultimo and on the

AN ANXIOUS MOTHER.

own homes. The membership is 206.

The Pocahontas Social Club of 425 9th street

st repeating gun used in the army was

To the Editor of The invenior Star-

The soloists were Miss Eva Fisher and

right involved to the legislature for

a sufficient number for our purposes."

of the river and taken to Fairfax county

to state that the Georgetown

on the river, which is wholly claimed

proceeds

change. The public dues and the penalties to collect his fee, all of which

pounds of tobacco," and even recoveries in to prevent Maryland with having any ferry over

early English writer calls it the "meat, drink, at this time so vastly necessary for the post and

clothing and money of the colonists." Our for troops that may have occasion to pass, as

ceny was sentenced to be "pilloried for one- be thought proper by your convention, for it is

stealing of a hog in this instance were sen- ginus ferryman having no boats, or at least not | 7

brought to certain warehouses to be inspected, as the writer supposed, but he was the repre-

method of moving it, or the scarcity of wheeled Mr. Johnson transmitted the letter to the con-

vehicles, the planters adopted the method of vention, and the writers, together with John

large hogshead, averaging 1,000 pounds, rigged with an axle and tongue and drawn by horses or men) over the roads to the nearest ware-

oads" and "rolling houses," sometimes ap-but the state of Maryland after its formation died to such roads and warehouses. In 1763 passed an act (in 1781) giving authority to the

town. Beall obtained a patent for 795 acres. Miss Kitty Biret had a narrow escape from under the name of the "Rock of Dumbarton" being burned to death recently. Her clothing in the year 1763, and, according to Baich, caught from a brush fire in the yard and she pitched his tent in the wilderness about ran about screaming until the flames had good where the seminary building now stands, at the corner of Gay and Washington streets.

province, for in 1600 the colonial legislature of burning clothing away, but the young lady had harvland passed "an act of gratifude" to Col. her foot severely burned.

benefit of himself and his family. He died, according to Balch, at "Fie Largs," one of his Projective of Argyle and Providence streets.

estates on the Eastern branch, at the advanced | April 10 to take charge of one of the exhibits of

a part of "Knave's Discippointment," a tract containing 300 acres which had been patented evening. Rev. R. R. West preached an excel-

to James Smith in 1732 and which adjoins the lent sermon, taking as his subject "The Bur-

upon the petition of some of them to the legis- were the recent guests of Miss Violet Horner.

There is to the historian a discouraging lack of specific details as to the Potomac trade in

of lading issued in the year 1773 preserves the battalion of Eaker's regiment under Lieut. Col. name of one vessel that was then engaged in it Curtis was sent down to Bermuda Hundreds to

her assigns—freight for the said goods being paid with primage and average accustomed.

"In witness whereof the master or purser of that time every ordnance officer here, with the exception of Col. Benton, was opposed to the exception of the loaders, and it was three of breech loaders, and it was three or breech loaders, and it was three or breech loaders.

he considered as entitled to the historical dis-tinction of having been Georgetown's pioneer the militia company bearing his name, the Ord-

manhood. He embarked in business in George- and after 10 o'clock, when the large crowd pres-

town about the year 1752. "Robert Peter's ent in the earlier part of the evening had de-Rock Creek Store" soon became the principal parted, the floor was cleared and dencing fol-

vested largely in lands in Frederick, Mont- agitated I would like to call attention to the

In letter then proceeds to state that in Virginia ferries were regulated by law, while in Casion, as the writers are street on the 20th ultimo and on the street than proceeds to state that in Virginia ferries were regulated by law, while in Casion, as the writers are street on the 20th ultimo and on the street from the 20th ultimo and on the 20th ultimo and 20

Rock of Dumbarton," and which part was lesques of Religion." The choir, consisting of hereafter known as "George Gordon's Rock Mrs. R. R. West, Mrs. J. B. Lord, jr., Miss Eva

Mrs. R. R. West.

the war was over.

Phitadetphia.

marter of an hour and to have ten stripes and notorious that unless he is released our passage pay 260 pounds of tobacco," and that two over the Potomac to the southward or north-

place yesterday morning at Saint Teresa's

Catholic Church. High mass was cele-

in years. Interment was at Mount Olivet. The pall-bearers were Sergeant Charles Kerby,

Mr. J. W. Bartley, Mr. Bryan Downey, Mr. George Soper, Mr. George Skidmore and Mr. Richard Liston.

Mr. Reagan was a native of Ballangary,

county Limerick, Ireland; and emigrated to th United States forty-five years ago. He has lived in Anacostia ever since. He was employed in digging the foundation for the Gov-

ernment Hospital for the Insane. This was in 1851 or 1852. He had been an employe of that

He leaves a widow and five children-Office

. F. Reagan, Dr. James S. Reagan of Ashville.

N. C., Mr. Patrick Reagan of St. Elizabeth, Mrs. George H. Gray and Mrs. B. C. Shreve.

THE CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL SITE.

on this side of the river evokes a deal of caustic

criticism. One of the committee on resolu

tions appointed at the late mass meeting de-

clares that the reception of the committee by

NOTES.

Mr. David Roe of Maple avenue is recovering. Charles Snell, brother of Merwin Marie Snell,

John Roseh, whose hand was run over and

'95; F. M. Paul, '96; E. B. Turner, '96; J. Poe.

bout, Poe and Grant; flying trapeze, Grant, '93

exhibition will end by team work in pyramids

The Third Army Corps Society Election.

Corps Society held in the red parlor of the

Food Condemned.

An Engraver's Protest.

St. John's Handsome Service.

yesterday afternoon, causing a loss of \$10.

Good Rifle Shooting.

2. Prehistoric Irrigation, Mr. F. Webb Hodge; 3. Finding the Will of a Concurring Majority

by a Direct Vote of the People, Dr. Thomas D

Egg Rolling Accidents.

while playing with their companions.

As a Token of Esteem.

A Single Tax Banquet.

There is to be a great raily of the single tax

advocates tomorrow evening. The occasion

will be a dinner in honor of J. G. Maguire of

others are down to res pond to toasts.

KEEP Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup handy.

To the Editor of The Evening Star:

and Private Patterson, 6.

deemed, 1 sold and 59 killed.

96, and C. Brown, '96.

and acrobatics.

Berdan.

crushed by an Anacostia car, is out.

the Commissioners was exactly the reverse of

Anacostians continue to discuss the question

Mr. Reagan was widely and favorably known.

sentative of Frederick county in the "council of the hospital for contagious diseases. The of safety" formed in the colony-by which the alleged desire of the Commissioners to locate it

Miss Edna Taylor is visiting relatives in well as those who like to see an excellent

institution from that date till his fatal illness.

the five little ones have passed away. C. T. Grant, '93; J. A. Dear, '93; C. E. Hendrickson, '95; W. H. McColl, '95; C. Killerman, The funeral, which will be private, will be held today at the family residence Huntington place northwest. The remains will be taken to Wilmington, Ohio.

The program will begin with a horizontal bar performance by the team. Balancing tra-... Confirmations. preze, F. M. Paul, '96; wrestling, Johnnie Poe, '96, and C. T. Grant, '93; parallel bars, Killer-The Senate yesterday confirmed the followman, '95; Brown, '96, and Paul, '96; flying rings, Dear, '93, and McColl, '95; wrestling, second ing nominations: Postmasters: Ohio-Lewis Green, at Logan, and Thomas H. Craig. at | An Easter Hop That Was the Finest Assem-Athens. Indiana-Samuel Harris, Franklin, Hendrickson, '95, and Turner, '96; double tra-preze, Capt. Hughes, '93, and McColl, '95. The and Henry C. Ulen, Lebanon. Iowa-Rolin M. Clark, Keokuk. Wisconsin-J. E. Horsman, Rice Lake, and Thomas F. Solon, West

Ebbitt House on Saturday evening, April 1, Charles D. Denit, Salem, and Henry I. Tuggle, Martinsville. In the notice of Gen. Berdan it is stated that the following were elected officers for the ensuhe always took special pride in the fact that he ing year: Maj. Gon. Daniel E. Sickles, U. S. A., District Applicants. was the first to increduce "repeating rifles" president; Gen. Joseph Dickenson, first vice into the service. This is a mistake. It should be breech-loading rifles. The gun used by the sharpshooters was a single loader—what was barpshooters was a single loader—what was a single loader—wh known as the Sharps target rifle, with a set trigger, by all means the best gun made at trigger. Foote, Col. L. D. Bumpus, M. A. Dillon, C. P. trigger, by all means the best gun made at the that time. I remember well when the presithe primogenture laws as the eldest son and their-at-law of his father, Col. Ninian Beall, to whom it had been patented November 18, 1703. David Loughman, W. D. O'Donohue.

The Case of Mr. Judd. casket of their deceased comrade, Gen. Hiram During the week ending April 1 10,500 bush- that he is a Jew is regarded at the State De-

fish, 165,700 herring, 20,320 shad, 88 carp and spring hook extractor by Henry in 1860.

When Col. Baker raised his regiment of cavalry in this District he had sufficient influence bushels of oysters condemned, 493 bunches of four years. fish, 649% pounds of beef, 216 of mutton, 14% of pork, 19 of sausage, 8 chickens, 60 ducks, 180 birds, half bushel of apples, 225 pounds of grapes, 55 bunches of celery, 800 of radishes, 1,700 heads of lettuce, 223 of cabbage, 10 bushels of kale, 1% of spinach, 1 of parsnips and 14

of miscellaneous fruits and vegetables. During the week 64 animals were impounded, 2 renorth to the Kentucky line.

In an elaborate opinion by Justice Field The Secretary of the Treasury has received a

letter signed by a number of engravers in the the Supreme Court yester lay declined to grant the prayer of Virginia. The opinion went into bureau of printing and engraving protesting the historical facts exhaustively and discussed against the forwarding to Mr. George W. Casilear of the medal awarded him by the Paris international exposition in 1878 on the ground Changes in the New York. that the work for which the medal was awarded

was not Mr. Casilear's, but that of the engravers of the country.
Secretary Carlisle says that he has no power in this matter and cannot act, as it is something with which the State Department should deal A member of the parish of St. John's, whose name is not given, has presented to the church Capt. Phillip telegraphed to the Navy Department as soon as the New York returned from her unofficial trial trip asking that the smokea solid gold communion set as a memorial to a dead relative. It was among the Easter offerstacks be lengthened, and received a reply the very next day ordering that it be done. They will now be about haif as tail as the military Yesterday afternoon a fire took place in the rear of Mr. Howard Childs' premises, 10041/2 I street southeast, caused by a lighted lamp in a chicken incubator, and \$50 damage resulted A gas jet in the show window of N. Peyser of 1318 7th street northwest set the goods on fire

masts, and the men on the bridge will no longer have their vision cut off by a fog of black and disagreeable smoke every time an unfavorable wind sweeps over the vessel. One change Capt. Phillip did not succeed in having made. Around the stern of the vessel is an old-time gallery, where captain or admiral may sit and smoke in solitude. This gallery is almost an anachronthing and refused to remove it.

to this country prior to the creation of our ambassador to England?

J. H. L. Company A, first separate battalion, last eveneant. He was born in Scotland in 1726, and came to Georgetown shortly after his arrival at uniform served to make a very attractive scene, ing totals: Private C. A. Gibson, 45. Lieut ing last, was much improved today, and it is expected that he will be able to sit up in a few

each 29; Private Thomas, 16; Private Payne, 12, The Formula state of the announcement of the first sale of lots in the town in 1751 purenased not fronting on the north is directors, suspended. This course is taken side of the street along the margin of the river, called "The Kevs" (known now as Water street). Club and of the sentiment against clubs, and club this evening. April 4, the following interesting managers will be read: 1. Estimation the directors direct the doors to be teresting papers will be read: 1. Estimation

closed and business be suspended un- of Wealth in Statistics, Mr. A. R. Spofford; Two of the children engaged in egg rolling at the White House grounds yesterday afternoon suffered severe injuries, and instead of return- States, Canada and Mexico. ing to their homes after a day's sport were

of Frederick). Prince George's and other counties of Maryland. He lived to see the foundation of the city of Washington laid, and was laters for if they are to be kept closed? Will not the managers compel the conductors to Union court. Each suffered from a leg broken Col. W. C. Jones, the chairman of the state committee of Kansas, was presented last evening by a number of Kansas democrats with a In the Police Court, Judge Miller, yesterday a young colored man, Chas. Stewart, was charged Mr. T. Scott of Cheslin, Kan., making the

Bismarck celebrated the 78th anniversary of

The Easter hop given tonight at the Town Superior. Oregon—James F. Johnson, Pendle-ton. Louisiana—Francis M. Mumford, Bayou attended by the beauty and fashion of the At an adjourned meeting of the Third Army Sara. Georgia—William M. Dunbar, Augusta. county, the District and several other localorps Society held in the red parlor of the and James E. Brown, Nownan. Virginia—
ties. The hall was handsomely decorated with bunting and presented a beautiful appearance. The superb toilets of the ladies elicited universal approbation. At 12 o'clock a fine The following named residents of the District lunch was served, after which the festivities have applied for positions in the Navy Depart- were continued until the early hours of the ment ranging from clerkships to laborers: Guy morning. Donch's orchestra of Washington Rames, Upton Payne, R. W. Albert, John S. furnished fine music for the occasion. Among ter, white mull; Mrs. Frank Baldwin, old rose son silk and velvet; Clara Hardy, lavender silk; els of oysters were inspected, 7,591 bunches of partment as somewhat inconsistent in view of velvet; Misses Lulu Lay, yellow silk and black As a result of the recent unofficial trial of the cruiser New York a change is being made in mauve and light blue silk; Eliza Choates, blue her three smokestacks. They will be built up about twenty feet higher than at present. This was recommended by Capt. Phillip, who is to command the vessel, because it was found to be almost impossible to remain on the bridge when the wind carried the smoke over it.

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ism on a modern war vessel, but it is said that Secretary Tracy thought it would be a fine Representative Hooker's Condition Imknocked down by a cable car on Saturday even-

Did England create its minister ambassador

ing totals: Private C. A. Gibson, 45; Lieut. Webster, 44; Sergt, Swailes, 43; Privates Mc-Eiroy, Siden and H. P. White, each 41; Sergt. Curtis, 40; Private Harris, 37; Sergt, Clements, 36; Private Scott, 32; Private Brockenbough, 31; Lieut, Dodson and Private H. L. Gibson,

which was formerly occupied by the firm of W. Duke, Sons and Co. as a cigarette factory, but more recently by the American Tobacco Company, of which J. B. Duke is president, as a manufactory of smoking and chewing tobacco. was destroyed by fire early Sunday morning.

of the state.

HORSFORD'S ACID PROSPHATE.

AUCTION SALES.

There is a little dress hat with a butterfly bow of face and a soft crown of grayish blue velvet of the exact tint of the wool of the gown. A navy blue sailor, carrying a bunch of frosted violets in its velvet band, is the hat for boating weather.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY ON WEST SIDE OF SIXTH STREET SOUTHWEST, AT PUBLIC ACCURAGE, A point of the inail records of the District of Columbia, and at the respect of the parties secured and violets in its velvet band, is the hat for boating weather.

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An Easter Hop That Was the Finest Assemblage of the Year.

Correspondence of The Evening Star.

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LATIMER & SLOAN,

THIS EVENING. ANNUAL SPRING SALE,

TAUNTON SILVER PLATE COMPANY. AT OUR SALES ROOM. Cor. 10th st. and Pa. ave. n. w. TUESDAY, MARCH TWENTY-FIGHTH

By order of the

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M., THREE RE! HALFmh27-10t WALTER B. WILL AMS & CO., Aucts FUTURE DAYS.

Each of these lots have a from of 20 teeton W street, except one, which has a from of 19 5-12 teet, all having a depth of 85 feet to a 10-foot alley, making a total from ave of 250 5-12 feet by depth of 85 feet, and contains 22.050 5-12 square feet. This is a splendid building property and can readily be subdivided into smaller froms, thereby maxing a greater number of building lots. Alley on each side and rear.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, notes to be given bearing interest, payable semi-annually, and to be secured by deed of trust on property, or all cash, at option of purchasers. A deposit of \$500 will be required of purchaser if sold as an entirety or \$100 on each lot if sold separately at time of sale. Conveyancing, &c., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in fitneen days, otherwise the right reserved to resell the property in defaunt at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement of sun resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

ap4 d&ds DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers.

RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 920 PENNA. AVE. N.W.

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK M., above-mentioned personal property belonging to the

estate of the late Annie E. Northcutt, to which we in-Terms cash. JOSEPH SHILLINGTON,
EDWIN FORKEST,
and-4t Collectors estate Annie E. Northcutt.

Officers Elected.

The Columba Fire Insurance Company held is annual election yesterday and selected the following trustees:

James A. Bates, Charles J. Bell, A. T. Britton, Robert I. Fireming, Charles C. Glover, Thomas M. Gale, J. Eakin Gadsby, R. O. Holtzman, John S. Larcenthe, F. B. McGuire, C. M. Matthews, M. M. Parker, John A. Prescott, B. P. Snyder, W. R. Wilcox.

For General Quarantine Protection.

Dr. F. W. Reilly, secretary of the Illinois' state board of health, left Chicago Sunday night for New York, He goes to attend a matting property, the owners to be nottined of said leavy and it will be attended by representatives of the various sections of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

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The seven-story brick building Nos, 709 and and the work of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

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Mrs. Litchfield, who was badly injured at Landover a few days since in endeavoring to extinguish a burning outhouse on her property, which had caught fire from blazing trees, is in a critical condition.

A fish hawk, which is claimed to be the largest that was ever seen in this neighborhood, was abot on the Eastern branch, a mile below Bladensburg, yesterday morning by a sand Bladensburg, yesterday morning by a sand on the yenergy, or all cash, at the purchaser and deed of trust on the yenergy, or all cash, at the purchaser and two years with interest at 6 per cent per annum, secured by notes of the purchaser and deed of trust of the Street Street

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AND 170 MASSACHUSELTS AVENUE NORTHEAST, BY AUCTION.
At the request of the owners, we will sell at auction
in front of the exemises on WFENESDAY, APRIL
TWELFTH, 1803, at HALF-PAST FOUR ORLIGICK
P. M., lots numbered SIXTY-FOUR and SIXTYFIVE, in Frank C. Browning's subdyrishop of lots

FIRST SPRING SALE OF NEW AND SECOND-HAND BICYCLES OF ALL MAKES AND GRADES, WITH CUSHION, PAGE MATIC AND SOLED THES.

The second-band wheels are all in first-classed distances.

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CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE BUILDING

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SALE OF VALUABLE UNIMPROVED REAL ESTATE ADJOINING CONNECTICUT AVENUE EXTENDED AND NEAR TENNALLYTOWN.
By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, sitting as an equity court, passed June 15, 1892, in cause No. 12956, entitled Jackson H. Balson vs. W. W. Coldins et al., I will on FBIDAY, APPIL FOURTEENTH, 1883, at FIVE (5) O'CLOCK P. M., in front of the premises, offer for sale part of a tract of land lying in the county of Washington, District of Columbia, originally known and patented as "Mount Airy," described by mostes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at the north-west corner of a one-acre tract of land owned by Charles Barnes and lying continuous to the tract so ordered to be sold, and running thence north 12 minutes east 35 feet, nouth 32 decrees 14 minutes east 385 feet, outh 32 decrees 14 minutes east 385 feet, west along the north line of said one-acre tract 258,5 feet to the piece of beginning, containing one and one-half acres of ground, more or less.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, one-third in one year and one-third in two years from the day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust upon the premises sold, and to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the day of sale, ale-frent per annum from the day of sale, payable semi-annually, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of 2000 to be made at time of sale. Terms of sale to be compiled with within ten days, or premises to be resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser. Conveyancing at purchasers cost.

FREDERICK L. SIDDONS, Trustee, ap3-d&is

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